



# NIPO

## DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE NAVY (INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS)

**T**HE OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE NAVY (INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS) manages and implements International Security Assistance programs, Cooperative Development programs, and Technology Security policy. As a reporting unit to the Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Research, Development and Acquisition, the Navy International Programs Office (NIPO) supports Regional Combatant Commanders' and Navy leadership's efforts in building vigorous relationships with our maritime security partners around the world. NIPO teams with a wide network of U.S. defense industry and security community product and service providers, program managers, policy makers, and technical and regulatory agencies to support the defense requirements of partner nations.

**Mission:** Enable global maritime partnerships and protect critical technologies.



### Providing the Modern Tool Set

International programs provide Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Component and Combatant Commanders effective tools for their theater engagement plans to build capacity and promote lasting relationships.

- Working with a wide range of stakeholders, NIPO helps navigate the complex maze of laws, licensing and policy requirements to deliver capabilities to our friends and allies that maximize commonality.
- FMS and excess ship and aircraft transfers are instruments of international engagement that facilitate interoperability, shared production, common logistics and ultimately maritime security cooperation.
- Cooperative development and acquisition programs provide important opportunities to build collaborative relationships.

NIPO seeks to provide the modern tool sets that aid the Navy Department's leadership to execute its new emphasis on the global maritime security mission.



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